

Our Daily Bread

Sliced Thin by The Editor

Alex. H. Washburn

Paragraphs

And a Chapter About a Refugee

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The screech owl, says a naturalist, does not screech; its hovering song is melodious. But 160 million Americans can't be wrong—when this warbler "sings" the customers shake.

Someone is always taking the joy out of life. Down on the North Gulf Coast last week I wheeled past a small restaurant with the catchy name "Chat and Chew." But when I got home a better-informed citizen jolted me with, "Yeah, they got one in Shreveport."

The story of the day, I think, concerns a foreigner named Kurt von Schuschnigg.

If the name is vaguely familiar to newspaper readers at least some of them will recall he was the last chancellor of Austria before Adolf Hitler swallowed that country up on the eve of World War II.

Von Schuschnigg played the political game the best he could under the impossible conditions existing in Europe, particularly in the smaller countries, and lost. He came to America, and is now teaching government at St. Louis University.

The punch-line of this piece is that von Schuschnigg was this week invited by one of the Austrian political parties to return home and seek a post with the government—von Schuschnigg said "No."

"My application for United States citizenship is pending," he said. "I have no intention whatever of returning to Austria."

And that makes this the story of the day, for a lot of Americans see more virtue abroad than they see in their own country—but the man from over yonder who's just gotten here sees America clearly . . . a haven in an impossible world.

And America will be better for having him as a citizen among the rest of us.

Nat'l Home Club Week May 2-11

National Home Demonstration Club Week is May 2-11. During this week HDC women in the states, Hawaii, Puerto Rico, and Alaska, will join together in celebrating and in listening to national radio programs in observance of National HDC week.

The following radio broadcasts have been scheduled to date:

On Saturday May 1, 1 p. m. E. D. T. over the National Broadcasting Co. Miss Frances Scudder, Director of Home Economics Programs, Federal Extension Service, United States Department of Agriculture, will make a statement on the contributions of HDC work to Rural America as conducted by the Land Grant colleges and the USDA.

Also, on Saturday, May 1, at 12:30 p. m. E. D. T. three HD women, one from Alabama, one from Michigan, and one from Colorado will be featured on this program. They will tell of pertinent and timely demonstration and the benefits to their families and themselves.

On The Farm News with Claude Mahoney over the Columbia Broadcasting Co. on Saturday, May 1, 3:30 p. m. E. D. T. Mr. Mahoney will interview a Maryland homemaker on the present-day interests and problems of life on a Maryland farm.

Salutes can be expected during National Home Demonstration Week on several sponsored programs.

No Layoffs at Camden Depot

WASHINGTON (AP)—A Navy Department spokesman said today that as far as the Navy knows there have been no layoffs at the Naval Ammunition Depot near Camden, Ark., and that "none are contemplated."

"The work load at the depot does not justify any layoffs at this time," said the spokesman.

The depot, he said, is a Navy facility but is operated under contract by the National Fireworks Co.

If there have been any layoffs it has been done by the contractor, although I think we would be advised of such action."

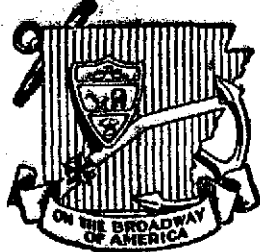
The Navy said the facility is being operated as a permanent installation.

An aide to Rep. Harris (D-Ark) who checked into reports of layoffs, said that the depot is manufacturing rockets for the Navy and the Air Force and that there still is a heavy demand for the output.

The Navy spokesman declined to give any figures on the depot's operating budget, saying that information was restricted.

In the United States about 6.1 white women die in child birth per 10,000 live births compared to 22.2 nonwhite women.

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Special Council Meet Called to Approve Worker

Hope City Council in a special session yesterday afternoon approved the hiring of Steve Atkins as fireman at Municipal Water and Light Plant by a 5 to 1 vote. One alderman was absent and another refused to vote on the issue.

Mr. Atkins received the approval of Plant Superintendent Clyde Zinn and fireman Chief Bell and Mayor Wilson.

The vote was taken following a discussion that was heated at times. Aldermen E. L. Rettig and C. W. Tarpley quickly voiced their disapproval of the method in which city employees are hired.

They made it plain they were not objecting to any particular employee but did object to not being asked anything about it.

"I think it's very unjust to hire a man, put him to work, start paying him and then ask us to approve it," Mr. Tarpley said. "I had no voice in the matter before, therefore I don't feel like assuming any responsibility now and I will not vote on the matter, Mr. Tarpley said."

"I think the voters of Hope elected me to the post of alderman to have a voice in city affairs but I have never been consulted on issues of this kind and I want it on the record that I object to the method used to employ city workers," Tarpley emphasized.

This stand was supported completely by Alderman Rettig who not only objected to the method used in hiring but was alarmed that the "city is running a training school."

It developed the new fireman is undergoing training and will have to pass an examination before he is qualified.

Machinery at the water and light plant is too valuable to be operated by an untrained man and if we needed a new fireman we should hire one that already knows the job," Rettig said. Mr. Rettig's was the only dissenting vote.

In other action the council approved a claim for damages to a home caused by water in a sewer line backing up into a residence.

Pine Bluff to Plan Needs in Future

LITTLE ROCK (AP)—The Arkansas Highway Commission today authorized a survey of the long-range traffic needs of Pine Bluff.

The survey requested by the city, was estimated to cost from \$15,000 to \$20,000.

The commission authorized several projects for future development including an estimated \$200,000 bridge on Highway 18 over the Illinois River in Washington County.

The programming was conditioned on right-of-way being furnished without cost to the state.

Other items programmed included:

A new bridge over Wild Cat Creek near Slom Springs on Highway 61 at Market Tree at an estimated cost of \$26,000.

Widening and strengthening of 7.8 miles of Highway 7 in Pope County between the Junction of Highway 124 and Dover at an estimated cost of \$38,000.

The commission extended to May 19 the time for acceptance by local interests of offers for improvements on two highways in return for donated right of way.

One of the proposed projects is for improvement of Highway 71 between Rogers and Fayetteville the second is for improvement of Highway 14 from Lead Hill to a point near Dodge City in Marion and Boone counties.

Laymen to Teach at McCaskill

Gordon Prescott, county surveyor, and one of the teachers of the Methodist Sunday School at McCaskill announced that arrangements had been made with Bill Routon, President of the Century Bible Class of the Hope Methodist Church to teach the Sunday School lesson each third Sunday at the McCaskill Methodist Church. The teacher for Easter Sunday will be Royce Weisenberger.

Church of Christ Revival Planned

Lloyd Brents of the Church of Christ in Texarkana will conduct a revival meeting at the Walnut Street Church of Christ in Hope starting Monday night, April 19 and continue through April 28. Services start each night at 7:30.

Baseball Game at Park Sunday

Hope Independent baseball team will play a team from North Heights of Texarkana here at Fair park at 2:30 Sunday.

Spring, the Time Frightened Bachelors Are Prey of Empty Eyed Girls Seeking Marriage

By HAL BOYLE

NEW YORK (AP) It is sad to think of spring when lovely girls are sad.

Particularly in April, when a man still has last winter's arthritis on his mind.

Somewhere there seem to be more sad girls than usual this spring, though their dresses are bright as always, and as they paw at their purses while holding up the homeward bus, they make a fair statue against the twilight sun.

What makes so many lovely girls sad? They are yearning for a man, as a gentle male husband who will meet them at the door, his arms aching with tenderness and a 28-lb sack of potatoes he has lugged home from the supermarket.

That is what every lovely girl in her bright spring dress really wants—just coming home to the worn figure of a husband who has looted the world for her, in a grocery store. At least that is all she needs to make her happy, even if she doesn't know it.

But, as a cranky middle-aged veteran of the supermarkets myself, I will tell you why so many girls in bright dresses are sad this spring. They are not willing to settle for a proud, poor, honest and occasionally horse-playing husband who is tamely willing to make himself a grocery boy for her.

That isn't enough for them. They want to start married life at the top and then go right on up in a world of ever-towering bliss.

The lovely sad girls in their bright spring dresses, what they really need to make them happy is perhaps somewhere around them just a lonesome man, broken by April, but what they hold out for is beyond them.

They speak of mink coats, and a guy with steady money instead of a guy with a steady job, and often make a brief and wakeful surrender to a fellow with a mouth full of promises instead of a man with a mouth full of heart.

The lovely sad girls in their bright spring dresses, they are all across America today.

But most of those who have that "are-you-a-millionaire" look in their eyes seem to gather in towns like New York. Maybe one of 10,000 does meet and marry a millionaire, and a dream comes true—and perhaps goes on to become a nightmare—as it can happen anywhere.

But why should a sensible millionaire want to marry one of the sad sweet girls of spring, waiting in a bright dress for his money?

How many girls are wishful? How many bright dresses are there? How many millionaires? How many springs?

Sometime people will read a new fairy story—why Cinderella, unsought by a prince, married the hotel bootblack because that was the only guy she deserved, but by good luck she got him the job of night attendant in the men's room, where he made enough tips to send their kids to college.

This isn't fantasy, dear a dream but—in substance—an American fact.

Why not teach children that life's real dream begins as a team after a wedding—and that the real wealth of living in our time is trying to work out better world for those you are responsible for and want to have a better and safer day than you have known?

Until this is done won't every spring bring out more sad young lovely girls in bright dresses? And leave us stuck with more dull old frightened bachelors who are afraid of being preyed upon each spring by lovely girls with empty eyes looking for a dollar mark instead of a man?

Paint Dealers Supporting Cleanup Week

The paint and building materials dealers of the city of Hope met in the Chamber of Commerce office Wednesday afternoon at 1:30 to discuss their cooperative efforts in the forthcoming Clean Up Paint Up Fix Up Campaign, which begins Monday, April 19.

The group went on record as wholeheartedly favoring and supporting the Chamber of Commerce Clean Up Campaign and unanimously voted to begin simultaneous advertising on Tuesday, April 20, in addition to this, every dealer will provide every possible service to their customers during this community wide campaign.

Co-chairmen, Harrell Hall and Haskell Jones expressed their thanks and deep satisfaction at the action of this particular group of merchants who are making a special effort to make the three week campaign a big success.

Fuchs Rated Worst Spy of Them All

By JOSEPH L. MYLER

WASHINGTON (UP)—The unsuspecting wife of an American scientist once described Klaus Fuchs as "a very quiet, rather sweet, reticent little guy."

Of this same man, the House-Senate Atomic Energy Committee says:

"Fuchs alone has influenced the safety of more people and accomplished greater damage than any other spy not only in the history of the United States but in the history of nations."

The committee ranks Fuchs as the "deadliest" of atomic spies, the worst of four great "betrayers" whose crime advanced Soviet development of A-bombs and H-bombs "by 18 months at a minimum."

The others are Bruno Pontecorvo, now believed to be masterminding hydrogen-bomb work in Russia; Allan Nunn May, British scientist who gave the Reds precious samples of U. S. atomic explosives; and David Greenglass, an American who handed the Soviets drawings of American A-bomb designs.

Fuchs is a German-born Communist who became a British citizen. A highly talented physicist, he was a member of the British scientific team that came to this country to help in wartime development of atomic weapons.

At various times he worked at the very center of atomic development in New York, Oak Ridge, Tenn., and Los Alamos, N. M. until he returned to Great Britain in June, 1946. Fuchs was privy to all U. S. atomic secrets.

From the beginning he relayed to Russia all he found out. That included all there was to know about the huge plants at Oak Ridge for making the atomic explosive uranium-235.

It also included all weapons information developed at the Los Alamos A-bomb laboratory, including all that scientists then knew and were thinking about the hydrogen super bomb.

On his return to Britain, he worked on highly sensitive phases of the British atomic project. As the result of an FBI tip, British authorities arrested him in February, 1950. He confessed, at length.

"This 'sweet little guy' had an explanation for his treachery. He said he was possessed by 'a controlled schizophrenia' induced by his 'Marxian philosophy.'"

Both Dr. J. Robert Oppenheimer, wartime director of the Los Alamos laboratory, and Lt. Gen. Leslie R. Groves, overall head of the bomb project, said Fuchs alone may have put the Soviet program ahead by 12 months.

Pontecorvo, "second deadliest" of the quartet, is an Italian-born British physicist. In the wartime project he became an expert on nuclear reactors like those which produce the atomic explosive plutonium at Hanford, Wash.

He is credited with being a better physicist than Fuchs. In September, 1950, he left Great Britain and is now in Russia. He is assumed to be in large part responsible for Soviet H-bomb success because, before his flight, he was studying tritium. This substance has been described by the congressional committee as being "intimately related to the hydrogen bomb."

May, another British physicist in the wartime project, stole and gave to the Russians then extremely rare samples of U-235 and U-233, another explosive form of uranium. He also supplied information about the work at Hanford, Oak Ridge, and Los Alamos.

Exposed by Igor Gouzenko, Soviet embassy code clerk, in the Canadian spy scandals of 1946, May confessed, was sentenced to 10 years in prison, got out ahead of time, and is at liberty in Britain.

Greenglass, the only American-born member of the deadly four, was an Army technical sergeant who served as foreman of a machine shop at Los Alamos. He gave the Reds mechanical details of A-bomb designs supplementing Fuchs' theoretical data.

He pleaded guilty and was sentenced to 15 years in prison. He gave evidence against his sister and brother-in-law, Ethel and Julius Rosenberg, who he said lured him into espionage. They stood trial, were convicted, and were executed last summer.

There were other atomic spies, including Harry Gold, Philadelphia chemist who served as courier for both Fuchs and Greenglass. But the deadly four did the most damage. Their work may explain a fact of history that seemed strange at the time,

Using Americans in Indochina Brings Challenge

By JACK BELL

WASHINGTON (AP)—A top administration official's declaration that American troops might be used in a last-ditch effort to save Indochina today brought prompt challenges from both Republican and Democratic lawmakers.

The official, who remained publicly unnamed despite demands for disclosure of his identity so that he could be questioned by Congress, said he believes Indochina can be saved from the Communists by other means without employing U. S. combat units there.

But he said that if French forces should withdraw, an event he called unlikely, this country would have to send in troops. He said this was because—and he repeated the words of President Eisenhower—"we cannot afford any retreat in Asia."

His statement, made yesterday to newsmen who were cautioned not to make public his name, included a prediction the French government is "going to be putting on the pressure" to negotiate an Indochina truce with the Communists at the April 26 Geneva Conference.

It was his opinion, the official said in a clear indication of American opposition to such a move, that such a truce would deliver Indochina to the Communists.

Although the official's declaration was regarded in some quarters as reflecting a National Security Council decision, the purported policy was challenged immediately by Republicans as well as Democrats.

Sen. Hickenlooper (R-Iowa), a Senate Foreign Relations Committee member, said in an interview he doesn't believe any decision has been made to use American troops in Indochina under any circumstances.

"If we have such a policy, I'd like to know about it," Hickenlooper said, "but I don't think we have."

Sen. Long (D-La.), a former Armed Services Committee member said no U. S. troops should be sent to Indochina without a congressional resolution approving it. And he said he would vote against any such resolution.

President Eisenhower told his news conference Feb. 10 that no one could be more bitterly opposed to getting the United States involved in a hot war in Indochina than he was. Consequently, he said every move he authorized was calculated, as far as humans could do it, to make certain that does not happen.

Agreement on Highway Route Is Reported

LITTLE ROCK (AP)—The Arkansas Highway Commission was told yesterday that an agreement has been reached on a proposed route for Highway 5 in Pulaski and Faulkner counties.

Tom Wilson, president of the Conway Chamber of Commerce, and Pulaski County Judge Arch Campbell said several groups of residents, which had asked for a number of different locations for the highway, had settled on a route past the Jacksonville bomber base to Vionia, where it would connect with Highway 64.

Highway 5, which was never developed beyond Jacksonville, has become important because of its nearness to the bomber base, now under construction.

The agreed route follows the old right-of-way, acquired nearly 25 years ago, to within two miles of the Faulkner County line and then turns to the northwest to a connection with the Faulkner County segment of the old Fortune Road and extends due north to Vionia.

Campbell told the commission that if the state starts developing that Highway 5 as outlined, he would pave the Pulaski County section of the Fortune Road, which several residents of both counties had wanted to become the Highway 5 relocation.

Campbell and Wilson said necessary right-of-way would be provided without charge to the state. Final determination of the relocation rests with the commission. Campbell said he believed the commission would approve the proposed route.

The Faulkner-Pulaski delegation was one of 11 which appeared before the commission seeking road work.

Early American colonists who fertilized their crops with 1,000 fish to the acre reported that one acre so treated grew as much as three acres without the fish.



FAIR OR UNFAIR?—Two Washington area housewives recently went on a unique \$5 shopping spree to show how the so-called "Fair Trade" laws work. The women were Mrs. Joseph N. Switkes, left, of Washington, D. C., and Mrs. Gerald A. Smith, of College Park, Md. Both are members of Housewives United, a national organization which lobbies in the interest of the housewives' pocketbook. By prearranged plan, they went to branch drugstores run by the same chain. Each bought the same eight articles, of the same size and brands. They were shaving cream, talcum powder, mouthwash, tooth powder, deodorant, aspirin, spot remover and hand lotion. Mrs. Switkes bought in Washington, Mrs. Smith in a Maryland chain store. District of Columbia has no fair trade law, but Maryland does. The result of this shopping test was that Mrs. Smith paid 97 cents more for her "fair trade" items, nearly 20 per cent higher.

Political Spending Biggest Gamble of All—Salary for a Year Usually Spent in Advance

By YLEON HATCH

LITTLE ROCK (AP)—Are you interested in applying for a job of great responsibility and uncertain tenure that could cost you a year's salary or more in advance without any assurance that you'll be hired?

Maybe you aren't, but lots of persons are.

They're the persons who run for office in Arkansas every two years. The law says these candidates may spend a maximum amount equal to a year's salary in seeking the office—but this limit is exclusive of actual personal traveling and hotel expenses.

Of course, the amount a candidate spends of his personal funds for a major office like governor or U. S. senator is only a small part of the total.

Arkansas law sets no limit on how much others may spend in espousing the cause of a candidate they favor—or who they hope will favor them if he gets the office.

Candidates—successful and unsuccessful—must file statements setting out their personal campaign expenditures, exclusive of travel and hotel expense, but a list of campaign contributions and expenditures generally is not required.

Then how much does it cost to run for a major office?

There have been numerous estimates, some of them running into truly fantastic figures, of the cost of various races in the past.

However, the only even partly documented evidence is furnished in a report made public by the Pulaski County Grand Jury in March, 1953.

The jury undertook to find out how much had been contributed and spent in the campaign for the Democratic gubernatorial nomination in 1952.

Lists of contributions—some of them apparently incomplete since the law doesn't require that such records be kept—were supplied by campaign managers for the five candidates.

Gov. Cherry's campaign total was placed at \$131,000. Cherry previously had reported \$4,500 as his personal campaign expenses.

The campaign of former Gov. Sid McMath, whom Cherry defeated for a third term, cost \$192,213, the jury was told. McMath had reported personal expenses of \$4,700.

For former Congressman Boyd Tackett the campaign total was \$134,406 in addition to a reported personal expenditure of \$9,827.68. The Jack Holt total was reported at \$32,500 plus personal expenditures of \$1,085, and the Ike Murry total at \$68,840 plus \$4,350 in personal expenses.

Thus, \$567,460 was reported spent in behalf of the five candidates, exclusive of their personal expenditures.

primary and general elections.

Although there is an apparent conflict between the two laws, actually it seems to make little difference. In Arkansas, of course, major contests are nearly always decided in Democratic primaries and general election costs are virtually non-existent.

One of the two restrictive laws has a special provision for limiting of expenses of a candidate for governor to \$5,000 rather than the "general maximum" of a year's salary.

The explanation is that the law was adopted in 1913, when the governor's yearly salary was \$4,000, and was designed to permit more leeway in spending—not less, as would be true now when the salary is \$10,000 a year.

However except for Tackett, all the 1952 candidates certified personal expenditures of less than \$5,000 and as a general rule candidates in previous years have reported their personal spending at \$5,000 or below.

The laws provide for possible fine and imprisonment for candidates spending more than the legal maximum or neglecting to file an expense account. Apparently no one has ever been charged—much less convicted—under either provision.

Two bills relating to campaign contributions and expenditures were introduced in the 1953 Arkansas Senate but legislative action wasn't completed on either.

Legislation Would Relieve Welfare Roll

LITTLE ROCK (AP)—About 5,000 clients would be removed from Arkansas' welfare rolls under proposed national legislation extending Social Security benefits.

Welfare Commissioner A. J. Moss told the Legislative Joint Audit Committee yesterday that 150,000 to 175,000 more Arkansians will be eligible for Social Security benefits if pending legislation is approved.

He said that, of this total, 4,000 to 5,000 are receiving aid from the Welfare Department.

The committee heard a financial report, requested by State Sen. Jack Clark of Texarkana, showing a decrease this year of \$2,900,000 in welfare funds available to dependent children. The amount available for old age assistance dropped \$435,000 this year.

Moss said, however, that a separate proposal before Congress would change the method of allocating federal aid to states, resulting in a larger Arkansas allotment.

He said such an increase might allow a additional raises in individual welfare grants in Arkansas. The welfare commissioner also said that tighter laws and better enforcement of child abandonment and parent responsibility laws have resulted in more aid to dependent children from sources outside the Welfare Department.

Full Cleanup Is Promised in Housing Probe

By FRED S. HOFFMAN

WASHINGTON (AP)—Housing Administrator Albert M. Cole today developed out of a "full administrative cleanup" of the agency shocked Federal Housing Administration. He also promises new level findings.

Cole summoned to a state council this afternoon key officials of the Justice Department, the Internal Revenue Service, and Housing and Home Finance Agency which has jurisdiction over FHA.

President Eisenhower yesterday armed Cole with a directive to federal agencies to cooperate with the administration's probe of alleged multimillion dollar profits under the FHA's loan insurance program in the home and apartment construction field.

Two congressional committees are set to open public hearings next week in parallel investigations of the FHA, and the Eisenhower order directed federal cooperation with these groups also.

Cole announced yesterday Burton C. Byard had been "let go" after he had refused to quit as FHA general counsel. Cole said that "in the next days we will make such other removals as are necessary to insure a free, swift, uninhibited investigation of all relevant FHA matters."

Mentioning evidence already covered of "incredible" laxity, Cole said he expects a fairly short time to develop cases possibly leading to prosecution and to take any additional steps needed for full administrative cleanup in the FHA.

Cole later confirmed public reports that gambling by one of the FHA officials had been part of the investigation.

The Washington Post and Herald said the FBI's report that this unnamed official had dropped as much as \$45,000 in single bets on the Washington National salary.

Cole said he knew nothing of \$50,000 loss, but that the one official is known to have been "let go" as a result of this.

This official, said Cole, is responsible for the situation in which the FHA's leadership has been shaken around considerably.

Charges came to light Monday that some apartment buildings had an aggregate of many millions of dollars by floating insurance construction loans guaranteed by government under a program ended during the Truman administration.

Also involved are allegations of fast-talking home roshes, taken from city to city, and householders who at their own loans to finance improvement.

McCarthy Set for Start of Hearing

By G. MILTON KELL
WASHINGTON (AP)—John Edgar Hoover, director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, today set for start of a hearing on McCarthy's charges against Army officials.

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Word from his associates that McCarthy will be expected to submit Monday a statement of specifications denouncing accusations that have leveled at him and his aides, and spelling out charges.

That could clear away a stumbling block to a start of the inquiry. Other still remain among them the charge of the subcommittee that McCarthy's "play the hearing."

The Army submitted particulars three days ago of trying to keep McCarthy from obtaining clearance for his trip to Europe.

McCarthy has been accused of "playing the hearing" and "playing the hearing" and "playing the hearing" and "playing the hearing" and "playing

God Bless America -- Her People and Her Churches

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 821 Pine St.
 Leroy Land, Pastor
 9:45 a. m. — Sunday School, J. D. Supt.
 10:00 a. m. — Morning Worship, Rev. Leroy Land.
 6:30 p. m. — Evening Worship.
 7:30 p. m. — Prayer Meeting

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
 Willow, Pastor
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 8:00 p. m. Evening Worship

CHURCH OF GOD in CHRIST
 Eld. O. N. Dennis, Pastor
 9:45 a. m. Sunday School
 11 a. m. morning worship
 6 p. m. Y. P. W. W.
 8:00 p. m. Evening Worship

CHURCH OF GOD in CHRIST
 Eld. O. N. Dennis, Pastor
 9:45 a. m. Sunday School
 11 a. m. morning worship
 6 p. m. Y. P. W. W.
 8:00 p. m. Evening Worship

HOPE GOSPEL TABERNACLE
 821 North Main Street
 9:45 a. m. — Sunday School
 10:00 a. m. — Radio Bible Class, Broadcast over KXAR
 11:00 a. m. — Morning Worship
 6:30 p. m. — Senior C. A., Junior C. A., Primary C. A.
 7:30 p. m. — Evangelistic Service
 Tuesday
 7:30 p. m. — Choir Rehearsal
 Wednesday
 7:30 p. m. — Mid-Week Service
 Thursday
 2:15 p. m. — Ladies Prayer Service
 Everyone is extended a cordial invitation to attend these services.

CATHOLIC CHURCH
 Third and Walker Street
 Father A. G. Dunleavy, Pastor
 Easter Sunday
 9:15 — Cathism classes.
 10:30 — Holy sacrifice of the mass followed by benediction of the most blessed sacrament.
 Saturday
 8:00 — Mass Blessing of the new fire pascalcandle baptism alwater, prophecies.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
 West 2nd and Pine
 V. D. Keeley, Pastor
 9:45 a. m. Church School
 10:55 Morning Worship
 Anthem: "I Know That My Redeemer Liveth" (Handel).
 Solo: "Hosanna!" Mr. Homer Jones
 Sermon: "An Easter Message" — Minister Baptism of Infants Reception of adult members.
 6:30 p. m. — Senior and Intermediate MYF and Wesley Club
 7:30 p. m. — Evening Worship
 (Spiritual) Junior Choir
 Sermon: "Our Lord's Way Of Meeting Indignities" — Minister
 Wednesday
 7 p. m. — Weekly Adult Choir practice at the church.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN
 701 South Main Street
 Rev. L. T. Lawrence, D. D., Minister
 The Men's Bible Class will meet in the Fellowship Hall at 9:30 a. m. for doughnuts and coffee; the class at 10:00 be taught by Haskell Jones.
 10:10 a. m. — Sunday School Supt.: James H. Miller.
 Morning worship 10:55 a. m.
 Sermon subject: "The Greatest Day in History" Anthem: "The Lord Is Risen Indeed" Manney Solo: "The Holy City" Adams Mrs Haskell Jones.
 5 p. m. — Vesper Service
 Cantata "Sunrise over Calvary."
 6 p. m. — P. Y. F. supper.
 Sheila Foster will have charge of the program.
 Monday
 10 a. m. — The Women of the Church will meet in the church.
 Wednesday
 7:30 p. m. — Midweek service
 Thursday
 7 Regular dinner meeting of the Men of the Church.

FIRST PENTECOSTAL CHURCH
 Fourth and Ferguson Street
 Rev. H. P. Hudspeth, Pastor
 9:45 a. m. — Sunday School C. J. Rowe, Supt.
 11 a. m. — Morning Worship Sermon by pastor.
 6:30 p. m. — Pentecostal Conquerors Mrs. Joe Lively in charge.
 Junior Conquerors Mrs. H. P. Hudspeth in charge.
 Our revival starts Sunday 10th. With Rev. M. R. Carter and Mrs. Carter From Davis Old. Come out and hear some good preaching and singing. Each evening at 7:30.
 We will have our Easter program Sunday morning at 11 a. m.
 Thursday
 2:00 p. m. — Ladies Pentecostal Auxiliary.
 Each week we have a different topic to discuss. This week our topic will be on Faith.
 The public is invited to attend all services at this church.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
 Walnut Street
 A. T. Oliver, Minister
 Sunday
 9:45 Bible Study
 10:37 Preaching
 6:30 p. m. Bible Study, Classes for all ages.
 Tuesday
 9:30 a. m. Ladies Bible Study
 Wednesday
 7 p. m. Bible Study

UNITY BAPTIST CHURCH
 South Elm Street
 Pastor, Howard White
 8:25-855 a. m. Unity Baptist Hour.
 Sunday School 10 a. m. — Ansley Gilbert, Supt.
 Morning worship 11 a. m.
 7 p. m. B. T. S.
 8 p. m. Evening Worship
 Monday
 2 p. m. — Senior Ladies Auxiliary Mrs. Barney Gaines, President.
 7:30 p. m. — Willing Workers Aux.iliary Mrs. Norvell Pres.
 Wednesday
 6:30 p. m. G. M. A.
 Mrs. Sam Williams in charge.
 7:15 p. m. — Teacher's Meeting.
 8:00 p. m. — Prayer Service

Thursday
 7:30 p. m. Mission Point (Anthony's Mill).

GARRETT MEMORIAL BAPTIST
 North Ferguson Street
 Eld. Elbert O'Steen, Pastor
 9:30 Rock of Ages Broadcast from Church Auditorium over radio station KXAR.
 9:50 a. m. Sunday School, Grady Hairston, Supt.
 11 a. m. Morning Worship
 6:30 p. m. B.T.S. Classes for all ages. Thomas L. Smith, president.
 7:30 p. m. Evening Worship
 Monday
 2 p. m. Sr. Auxiliary Meeting, Mrs. Waddie Cunningham, pres.
 7:30 p. m. — Girls Auxiliary, Vivian Tonnemaker, Pres.
 7:30 p. m. Little Men's Brotherhood. Dwain O'Steen
 Wednesday
 7:00 p. m. — Teacher's meeting
 7 p. m. Youth Choir practice
 7:30 p. m. — Prayer Meeting.
 Thursday
 7:30 p. m. — Jr. Auxiliary, Mrs. Lyle Allen, President.
 We welcome you to all of our services.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
 5th and Grady Street
 F. L. Jennings, Minister
 Sunday
 9:45 a. m. Bible School
 10:50 a. m. Preaching
 11:30 a. m. Communion
 6 p. m. Bible Study
 7 p. m. Preaching
 Tuesday
 9:30 a. m. Ladies Bible Study
 7:15 p. m. Men's Bible Study
 Wednesday
 7:15 p. m. — Teachers Meeting
 7:30 p. m. Bible Study
 You are always welcome at the Church of Christ.
ST. MARK'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH
 The Rev. Chas. T. Chambers Jr., Pastor.
 Easter Day
 8:30 a. m. Holy Eucharist and sermon.

The Negro Community

By Helen Turner
 Phone 7-5830
 Or bring items to Miss Turner at Hicks Funeral Home

BEEBEE MEMORIAL C. M. E.
 Rev. T. J. Rhone, Pastor
 9:45 a. m. Sunday School
 11 a. m. Morning Worship
 6 p. m. Epworth League.
 8:00 p. m. Evening Worship

MT. ZION CME CHURCH
 Rev. I. M. Manning, Pastor
 9:45 a. m. Sunday School
 11 a. m. Morning Worship
 6 p. m. Epworth League
 7:30 p. m. Evening Worship

BETHEL A. M. E. CHURCH
 Rev. G. Paschal, Pastor
 9:45 a. m. Sunday school.
 11 a. m. Morning Worship
 6 p. m. A. C. E. L.
 8:00 p. m. Evening Worship.

CHURCH OF GOD in CHRIST
 Eld. O. N. Dennis, Pastor
 9:45 a. m. Sunday School
 11 a. m. morning worship
 6 p. m. Y. P. W. W.
 8:00 p. m. Evening Worship

LONOKE BAPTIST CHURCH
 Rev. F. K. Powell, Pastor
 9:45 a. m. Sunday School
 11 a. m. Morning Worship
 6 p. m. B. T. U.
 8:00 p. m. Evening Worship

RISING STAR BAPTIST
 Rev. W. M. Erby, Pastor
 9:45 a. m. Sunday school.
 11 a. m. morning worship.
 6:00 p. m. B. T. U.
 8:00 p. m. Evening Worship

GARRETT CHAPEL BAPTIST
 Rev. F. R. Williams, Pastor
 9:45 a. m. Sunday School
 11 a. m. Morning worship
 6 p. m. B.T.U.
 9:30 p. m. Baptist Hour over Station KXAR.

CHURCH OF GOD
 C. L. Crossley, Pastor
 9:45 a. m. Sunday school
 11 a. m. Morning worship
 6 p. m. Y. P. W. W.
 8 p. m. Evening worship

Funeral service for Joe Cooper of Texarkana will be held Saturday, April 17, at the Baptist Church in Spurdell. With Hicks Funeral Home in charge.
 Among those from out of town who attended the funeral services for Narcissus B. Williamson on Sunday, April 11: Mr. and Mrs. Robert Patton, Allen Tyus, Mrs. Ethel Edwards, Mrs. Jennie Grady assisted by Mrs. Smith our HD Miss Bessie J. Patton all of St. Louis, Mo., Penn Tyus and Mr. and Mrs. Emory Williamson of Chicago Ill., Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Yancy, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Fauvette, Mr. and Mrs. James Paxton, Mr. and Mrs. Ivory Conway Miss Frieda Conway, Mrs. Christine Malone, Mr. Holmes, Milton Henderson, Miss Dyer, Mr. and Mrs.

Pat Williamson, Miss Elnora Williams, Mr. Terry, H. A. Powell, Mr. Martin, Mr. Hunter, Mrs. C. A. Morris, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Martin, Earl Dyer all of Little Rock.
 Frank, James and Will Tyus, Sherman Cole, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Coleman and Mr. and Mrs. John Coleman of Hope, Mrs. Rena Cole and Mrs. Niele Trotter of Columbus, James Hamilton, Nashville and Mrs. Lillie Brown of Ashdown.

Lonoke Baptist Church present its Easter program Sunday, April 18 at 10 a. m. The teachers will present "Mystery Of The Resurrection" and Intergrated Youth. The public is invited.

Mrs. Hill HDC held a meeting April 14, 1954 at 2 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Mary J. Cheatham. The meeting was called to order by presenting the club women's selected song of the month "Beautiful Dreamer." Devotional Corth. 11 24-34 was conducted by Mrs. Pearlene Cheatham prayer led by Mrs. Earl Hood unfinished and new business was discussed Mrs. Bessie Franks made a report on diary. Next was baking which was very good. Mrs. Pearlene Cheatham made Sweet dough, date braided cake, Tea rings Cinnamon Twists, Cinnamon Buns, Queen Tarts, Clover leaf rolls, Braided rolls. Mrs. Bessie Franks made straight dough Tripe Deck rolls Crosses, Clover leaf Lucky clover, Fan Tan Two In One Twists. The breads was judged by the visitors Mrs. Earl Hood Mrs. Eula Mae Smith Church Hill HDC assisted by Mrs. Smith our HD agent. A cook book was presented to Mrs. Pearlene Cheatham for having the best baked product. Pictures were made of the group there were four visitors three members and agent Mrs. F. E. Smith Mrs. Pearlene Cheatham Hostess served dry milk lemon Sherbert and tea rings to th group.

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He Arose

He is not here. The Cross and the Tomb have both been snatched from their association with death. They have been transformed by love and self-giving. DARK FRIDAY becomes GOOD FRIDAY with the revealing of Heavenly love. Christmas is sanctified in Easter. He lives and we, too, shall live, in the measure in which we learn to kiss the Cross, our cross as well as His. His journey to Golgotha transfigured the cross forever, TURNING A SYMBOL OF SUFFERING INTO A SYMBOL OF TRIUMPHANT LIFE. It is Easter.

Williams Newspaper Features
 Fort Worth, Texas

Paragraphs

And a Chapter
About a Refugee

Paragraphs
The screech owl, says a naturalist, does not screech; its "singing" is melodious. But 160 million Americans can't be wrong—when this warbler "sings" the customers shake.

Someone is always taking the joy out of life. Down on the North Gulf Coast last week I wheeled past a small restaurant with the catchy name "Chat and Chew." But when I got home a better-informed citizen jolted me with, "Yeah, they got one in Shreveport."

The story of the day, I think, concerns a foreigner named Kurt von Schuschnigg.

If the name is vaguely familiar to newspaper readers at least some of them will recall he was the last chancellor of Austria before Adolf Hitler swallowed that country up on the eve of World War II.

Von Schuschnigg played the political game the best he could under the impossible conditions existing in Europe, particularly in the smaller countries, and lost. He came to America, and is now teaching government at St. Louis University.

The punch-line of this piece is that von Schuschnigg was this week invited by one of the Austrian political parties to return home and seek a post with the government—and von Schuschnigg said "No."

"My application for United States citizenship is pending," he said. "I have no intention whatever of returning to Austria."

And that makes this the story of the day, for a lot of Americans see more virtue abroad than they see in their own country—but the man from over yonder who's just gotten here sees America clearly . . . a haven in an impossible world.

And America will be better for having him as a citizen among the rest of us.

Nat'l Home Club Week
May 2-11

National Home Demonstration Club Week is May 2-11. During this week HDC women in the states, Hawaii, Puerto Rico, and Alaska, will join together in celebrating and in listening to national radio programs in observance of National HDC week.

The following radio broadcasts have been scheduled to date:
On Saturday May 1, 1 p. m. E. D. T. over the National Broadcasting Co. Miss Frances Scudder, Director of Home Economics Programs, Federal Extension Service, United States Department of Agriculture, will make a statement on the contributions of HDC work to Rural America as conducted by the Land Grant colleges and the USDA.

Also, on Saturday, May 1, at 12:30 p. m. E. D. T. three HDC women, one from Alabama, one from Michigan, and one from Colorado will be featured on this program. They will tell of pertinent and timely demonstration and the benefits to their families and themselves.

On The Farm News with Claude Mahoney over the Columbia Broadcasting Co. on Saturday, May 1, 3:30 p. m. E. D. T. Mr. Mahoney will interview a Maryland homemaker on the present-day interests and problems of life on a Maryland farm.

Salutes can be expected during National Home Demonstration Week on several sponsored programs.

No Layoffs at Camden Depot

WASHINGTON (AP)—A Navy Department spokesman said today that as far as the Navy knows there have been no layoffs at the Naval Ammunition Depot near Camden, Ark., and that "none are contemplated."

"The work load at the depot does not justify any layoffs at this time," said the spokesman.

The depot, he said, is a Navy facility but is operated under contract by the National Fireworks Co.

"If there have been any layoffs it has been done by the contractor, although I think we would be advised of such action."

The Navy said the facility is being operated as a permanent installation.

An aide to Rep. Harris (D-Ark.) who checked into reports of layoffs, said that the depot is manufacturing rockets for the Navy and the Air Force and that there still is a heavy demand for the output.

Special Council Meet Called to Approve Worker

Hope City Council in a special session yesterday afternoon approved the hiring of Steve Atkins as fireman at Municipal Water and Light Plant by a 5 to 1 vote. One alderman was absent and another refused to vote on the issue.

Mr. Atkins received the approval of Plant Superintendent Clyde Zinn and fireman Chief Bell and Mayor Wilson.

The vote was taken following a discussion that was heated at times. Aldermen B. L. Rettig and C. W. Tarpley quickly voiced their disapproval of the method in which city employees are hired.

"I think the very unjust to hire a man, put him to work, start paying him and then ask us to approve it," Mr. Tarpley said. "I had no voice in the matter before, therefore I don't feel like assuming any responsibility now and I will not vote on the matter, Mr. Tarpley said."

"I think the voters of Hope elected me to the post of alderman to have a voice in city affairs but I have never been consulted on issues of this kind and I want to on the record that I object to the method used to employ city workers," Tarpley emphasized.

This stand was supported completely by Alderman Rettig who not only objected to the method used in hiring but was alarmed that the "city is running a training school."

It developed the new fireman is undergoing training and will have to pass an examination before he is qualified.

"Machinery at the water and light plant is too valuable to be operated by an untrained man and if we needed a new fireman we should hire one that already knows the job," Rettig said. Mr. Rettig's was the only dissenting vote.

In other action the council approved a claim for damages to a home caused by water in a sewer line backing up into a residence.

Pine Bluff to Plan Needs in Future

LITTLE ROCK (AP)—The Arkansas Highway Commission today authorized a survey of the long-range traffic needs of Pine Bluff.

The survey requested by the city, was estimated to cost from \$15,000 to \$20,000.

The commission authorized several projects for future development including an estimated \$200,000 bridge on Highway 16 over the Illinois River in Washington County. The programming was conditioned on right-of-way being furnished without cost to the state.

Other items programmed included:
A new bridge over Wild Cat Creek near Silom Springs on Highway 61 at Market Tree at an estimated cost of \$26,000.

Widening and strengthening of 7.8 miles of Highway 7 in Pope County between the Junction of Highway 124 and Dover at an estimated cost of \$58,000.

The commission extended to May 19 the time for acceptance by local interests of offers for improvements on two highways in return for donated right of way.

One of the proposed projects for improvement of Highway 71 between Rogers and Fayetteville the second is for improvement of Highway 14 from Lead Hill to a point near Dodge City in Marion and Boone counties.

Laymen to Teach at McCaskill

Gordon Prescott, county surveyor, and one of the teachers of the Methodist Sunday School at McCaskill announced that arrangements had been made with Bill Routon, President of the Century Bible Class of the Hope Methodist Church for teachers from the Hope Class to teach the Sunday School lesson each third Sunday at the McCaskill Methodist Church. The teacher for Easter Sunday will be Royce Welsenberger.

Church of Christ Revival Planned

Lloyd Bents of the Church of Christ in Texarkana will conduct a revival meeting at the Walnut Street Church of Christ in Hope starting Monday night, April 19 and continue through April 28. Services start each night at 7:30.

Baseball Game at Park Sunday

Hope Independent baseball team will play a team from North Heights of Texarkana here at Fair park at 2:30 Sunday.

Spring, the Time Frightened Bachelors Are Prey of Empty Eyed Girls Seeking Marriage

By HAL BOYLE
NEW YORK (AP) It is sad to think of spring when lovely girls are sad.

Particularly in April, when a man still has last winter's arthritis on his mind.

Someone there seem to be more sad girls than usual this spring, though their dresses are bright as always, and as they paw at their purses while holding up the homeward bus, they make a fair statue against the twilight sun.

What makes so many lovely girls sad? They are yearning for a man—a gentle male husband who will meet them at the door, his arms aching with tenderness and a 28-lb sack of potatoes he has lugged home from the supermarket.

That is what every lovely girl in her bright spring dress really wants—just coming home to the worn figure of a husband who has lugged the world for her, in a grocery store. At least that is all she needs to make her happy, even if she doesn't know it.

But, as a cranky middle-aged veteran of the supermarkets myself, I will tell you why so many girls in bright dresses are sad this spring. And everything.

They are not willing to settle for a proud, poor, honest and occasionally horse-playing husband who is tamely willing to make himself a grocery boy for her.

That isn't enough for them. They want to start married life at the top and then go right on up in a world of ever-towering bliss.

The lovely sad girls in their bright spring dresses, what they really need to make them happy is perhaps somewhere around them just a lonesome man, broken by April, but what they hold out for is beyond them.

They speak of milk coats, and a guy with steady money instead of a guy with a steady job, and often make a brief and wakeful surrender to a fellow with a mouth full of promises instead of a man with a mouth full of heart.

The lovely sad girls in their bright spring dresses, they are all across America today.

But most of those who have that "are-you-a-millionaire" look in their eyes seem to gather in towns like New York. Maybe one of 10,000 does meet and marry a millionaire, and a dream comes true—and perhaps goes on to become a nightmare—as it can happen anywhere.

But why should a sensible millionaire want to marry one of the sad sweet girls of spring, waiting in a bright dress for his money?

How many girls are wistful? How many bright dresses are there? How many millionaires? How many springs?

Sometime people will read a new fairy story—why Cinderella, unsought by a prince, married the hotel bootblack because that was the only guy she deserved, but by good luck she got him the job of night attendant in the men's room, where he made enough tips to send their kids to college.

This isn't fantasy, oar a dream but—in substance—an American fact.

Why not teach children that life's real dream begins as a team after a wedding—and that the real wealth of living in our time is trying to work out better world for those you are responsible for and want to have a better and safer day than you have now?

Until this is done won't every spring bring out more sad young lovely girls in bright dresses? And leave us stuck with more dull old frightened bachelors who are afraid of being preyed upon each spring by lovely girls with empty eyes looking for a dollar mark instead of a man?

Paint Dealers Supporting Cleanup Week

The paint and building materials dealers of the city of Hope met in the Chamber of Commerce office Wednesday afternoon at 1:30 to discuss their cooperative efforts in the forthcoming Clean Up Paint Day.

The group went on record as wholeheartedly favoring and supporting the Chamber of Commerce Clean Up Campaign and unanimously voted to begin simultaneous advertising on Tuesday, April 20, in addition to this, every dealer will provide every possible service to their customers during this community-wide campaign.

Cochairmen, Harrell Hall and Haskell Jones expressed their thanks and deep satisfaction at the action of this particular group of merchants who are making a special effort to make the three week campaign a big success.

Using Americans in Indochina Brings Challenge

By JACK BELL
WASHINGTON (AP)—A top administration official's declaration that American troops might be used in a last-ditch effort to save Indochina today brought prompt challenges from both Republican and Democratic lawmakers.

The official, who remained publicly unnamed despite demands for disclosure of his identity so that he could be questioned by Congress, said he believes Indochina can be saved from the Communists by other means without employing U.S. combat units there.

But he said that if French forces should withdraw, an event he called unlikely, this country would have to send in troops. He said this was because—and he repeated the words of President Eisenhower—"we cannot afford any retreat in Asia."

His statement, made yesterday to newsmen who were cautioned not to make public his name, included a prediction the French government is "going to be putting on the pressure" to negotiate an Indochina truce with the Communists at the April 28 Geneva Conference.

It was his opinion, the official said in a clear indication of American opposition to such a move, that such a truce would deliver Indochina to the Communists.

Although the official's declaration was regarded in some quarters as reflecting a National Security Council decision, the purported policy was challenged immediately by Republicans as well as Democrats.

Sen. Hickenlooper (R-Iowa), a Senate Foreign Relations Committee member, said in an interview he doesn't believe any decision has been made to use American troops in Indochina under any circumstances.

"If we have such a policy, I'd like to know about it," Hickenlooper said, "but I don't think we have."

Sen. Long (D-La.), a former Armed Services Committee member said no U. S. troops should be sent to Indochina without a congressional resolution approving it. And he said he would vote against any such resolution.

President Eisenhower told his news conference Feb. 10 that no one could be more bitterly opposed to getting the United States involved in a hot war in Indochina than he was. Consequently, he said every move he authorized was calculated, as far as humans could do it, to make certain that does not happen.

Agreement on Highway Route Is Reported

LITTLE ROCK (AP)—The Arkansas Highway Commission was told yesterday that an agreement has been reached on a proposed route for Highway 5 in Pulaski and Faulkner counties.

Tom Wilson president of the Conway Chamber of Commerce, and Pulaski County Judge Arch Campbell said several groups of residents, which had asked for a number of different locations for the highway, had settled on a route past the Jacksonville bomber base to Vilonia, where it would connect with Highway 64.

Highway 5, which was never developed beyond Jacksonville, has become important because of its nearness to the bomber base, now under construction.

The agreed route follows the old right-of-way, acquired nearly 25 years ago, to within two miles of the Faulkner County line and then turns to the northwest to a connection with the Faulkner County segment of the old Fortune Road.

Campbell said the commission extends due north to Vilonia. Highway 5 as outlined, he would pave the Pulaski County section of the Fortune Road, which several residents of both counties had wanted to become the Highway 5 relocation.

Campbell and Wilson said necessary right-of-way would be provided without charge to the state. Final determination of the relocation rests with the commission. Campbell said he believed the commission would approve the proposed route.

The Faulkner-Pulaski delegation was one of 11 which appeared before the commission seeking road work.

Early American colonists who fertilized their crops with 1,000 fish to the acre reported that one acre so treated grew as much as three acres without the first



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FAIR OR UNFAIR?—Two Washington area housewives recently went on a unique \$5 shopping spree to show how the so-called "Fair Trade" laws work. The women were Mrs. Joseph N. Switkes, left, of Washington, D. C., and Mrs. Gerald A. Smith, of College Park, Md. Both are members of Housewives United, a national organization which lobbies in the interest of the housewives' pocketbook. By prearranged plan, they went to branch drugstores run by the same chain. Each bought the same eight articles, of the same size and brands. They were shaving cream, talcum powder, mouthwash, tooth powder, deodorant, aspirin, spot remover and hand lotion. Mrs. Switkes bought in Washington, Mrs. Smith in a Maryland chain store. District of Columbia has no fair trade law, but Maryland does. The result of this shopping test was that Mrs. Smith paid 97 cents more for her "fair trade" items, nearly 20 per cent higher.

Political Spending Biggest Gamble of All—Salary for a Year Usually Spent in Advance

BY LEON HATCH
LITTLE ROCK (AP)—Are you interested in applying for a job of great responsibility and uncertain tenure that could cost you a year's salary or more in advance without any assurance that you'll be hired?

Maybe you aren't, but lots of persons are.

They're the persons who run for office in Arkansas every two years. The law says these candidates may spend a maximum amount equal to a year's salary in seeking the office—but this limit is exclusive of actual personal traveling and hotel expenses.

Of course, the amount a candidate spends of his personal funds for a major office like governor or U. S. senator is only a small part of the total.

Arkansas law sets no limit on how much others may spend in espousing the cause of a candidate they favor—or who they hope will favor them if he gets the office.

Candidates—successful and unsuccessful—must file statements setting out their personal campaign expenditures, exclusive of travel and hotel expense, but a list of campaign contributions and expenditures generally is not required.

Then how much does it cost to run for a major office? There have been numerous estimates, some of them running into truly fantastic figures, of the cost of various races in the past.

However, the only even partly documented evidence is furnished in a report made public by the Pulaski County Grand Jury in March, 1953.

The jury undertook to find out how much had been contributed and spent in the campaign for the Democratic gubernatorial nomination in 1952.

Lists of contributions—some of them apparently incomplete since the law doesn't require that such records be kept—were supplied by campaign managers for the five candidates.

Gov. Cherry's campaign total was placed at \$131,000. Cherry previously had reported \$4,500 as his personal campaign expenses.

The campaign of former Gov. Sid McMath, whom Cherry defeated for a third term, cost \$102,213, the jury was told. McMath had reported personal expenses of \$4,700.

For former Congressman Boyd Tackett the campaign total was \$134,406 in addition to a reported personal expenditure of \$9,827.68. The Jack Holt total was reported at \$32,500 plus personal expenditures of \$1,085, and the Ike Murry total at \$66,840 plus \$4,850 in personal expenses.

Thus, \$507,480 was reported spent in behalf of the five candidates, exclusive of their personal expenditures. There are two Arkansas states limiting personal expenditures to the equivalent of a year's salary exclusive of travel and hotel expense. One mentions only primary elections and the other covers the candidates' campaign in both

Full Cleanup Is Promised in Housing Probe

By FRED S. HOFFMAN
WASHINGTON (AP)—Housing Administrator Albert M. Cole today developed out of a "full administrative cleanup" of the "scandal" shocked Federal Housing Administration. He also promises new level firings.

Cole summoned to a staff council this afternoon key officials of the Justice Department, the Internal Revenue Service, and Housing and Home Finance Agency which has jurisdiction over FHA.

President Eisenhower yesterday armed Cole with a directive to federal agencies to cooperate with the administration's probe of alleged multimillion-dollar "leakage" under the FHA's loan insurance program in the home and apartment construction field.

Two congressional committees are set to open public hearings next week in parallel investigations of the FHA, and the Eisenhower order directed federal cooperation with these groups also.

Cole announced yesterday that "Burton C. Bova" had been "let go" after he had been "let go" as a "general" of the FHA. Cole said that "in the next days we will make such other removals as are necessary to insure a free, swift, uninhibited investigation of all relevant FHA matters."

Mentioning evidence already covered of "incredible" laxity, Cole said he expected a fairly short time to develop cases possibly leading to prosecution and to take any additional steps needed for full administrative cleanup in the FHA.

Cole later confirmed public reports that gambling by one of the FHA officials had a part in the off the investigation.

The Washington Post and Herald said the FBI reportedly reported that this unnamed official had been "let go" as much as \$100,000 in salary.

Cole said he knew nothing of \$50,000 loss, but that "if it is an official is known in connection to be a gambler."

This official, said Cole, is responsible job. He added that his situation in mind when he gave the investigation.

FHA leadership has been around considerably longer than charges came to light Monday. Some apartment buildings are an aggregate of many millions of dollars by floating insurance loans guaranteed by the government under a program ended during the Truman administration.

Also involved are allegations of fast-talking home salesmen who went from city to city, luring householders who at their closing obtained government loans to finance improvements.

McCarthy Set for Start of Hearing

By G. MILTON KELL
WASHINGTON (AP)—A particularly "hot" Senate hearing against Joe McCarthy today was reported to start in his Senate investigation committee when it goes into recess Monday.

McCarthy was expected to testify. But he was expected to be in Washington over the next several days, and his absence would determine whether the can as it now stands.

Thursday a public hearing was for the first time among the "hot" and counter-charges involving Word from his associates that McCarthy will be to submit Monday a written statement of specifications, denouncing accusations that he leveled at him and aides, and spelling out charges against McCarthy.

That could clear away a stumbling block to start of the inquiry. McCarthy still remains among the "hot" and counter-charges involving Word from his associates that McCarthy will be to submit Monday a written statement of specifications, denouncing accusations that he leveled at him and aides, and spelling out charges against McCarthy.

The Army submitted particular "three day" charges against McCarthy, and of trying to keep McCarthy from obtaining a passport for his trip to Europe.

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Arkansas: Clearing this afternoon, tonight, cooler tonight.

Experiment Station report for 24-hour period ending at 8 a. m. Saturday, High 66; Low 40.

SOCIETY

Phone 7-4331 Between 8 A. M. and 4 P. M.

Calendar

Friday, April 17
 Easter Egg Hunt for the primary Department 2 of the Baptist Church will be held at 10 o'clock on the lawn at the home of Mrs. M. S. Bates, 1510 N. Elm.

Sunday, April 18
 Rev. W. Post and Auxiliary will hold an Easter Egg Hunt on the lawn at 10 o'clock on Sunday afternoon. The program will be held at 10 o'clock on the lawn at the home of Mrs. M. S. Bates, 1510 N. Elm.

Friday, April 21

The Willing Workers Auxiliary of the Baptist Church will hold a church on Wednesday at 8 o'clock. The program will be held at 8 o'clock on the lawn at the home of Mrs. M. S. Bates, 1510 N. Elm.

Beginning Wednesday, April 21st
 and for six succeeding Wednesdays, Mrs. F. D. Sharpe Shivers will hold classes on Gerson at the court building in bridge at 10 o'clock. These classes are open to the public.

Notice

The American Legion Auxiliary will hold a church on Wednesday at 8 o'clock. The program will be held at 8 o'clock on the lawn at the home of Mrs. M. S. Bates, 1510 N. Elm.

Coming and Going

Coria Jamison is spending Easter holidays with relatives in Little Rock.

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 2 - FEATURES - 2
 Today at 11:48-2:44-8:39-8:37
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Joan Dru
John Ireland
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"Outlaw Territory"
 COLOR!
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"LOST PLANET"
 Cartoon, "BALLET-OPP"

Sun. - Mon.

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 Feature Times:
 1:00 - 3:10 - 5:07 - 7:17 - 9:15

Kiss Me Kate
 GRAYSON AND KEEL
 TOM AND JERRY Cartoon
 LATE NEWS

Hospital Notes

Branch
 Admitted: Mrs. Bessie D. Green, Hope, Don Browning Hope Mrs. W. D. Flowers, Hope.
 Julia Chester
 Admitted: Mrs. Mary May, Rosston Mr. Jett M. Atkins, Rt. 4 Hope
 Discharged: Mrs. Ambrose Robinson Hope, Mrs. Jack L. Burke and son Paul Cromer, Blevins.

Bodcaw News

Bodcaw students presented their annual Easter Pageant in the school auditorium Friday night. In other school activities the baseball team played a 12-12 tie with Spring Hill last week and the senior class has picked the Rev. Doyle Marlar to deliver its Baccalaureate sermon on Sunday, May 9 at 7:30 p. m. in the Bodcaw church.

Poultry growers who visited the new processing plant at DeQueen this week to discuss marketing with the new industry were Bill Stewart, president I. J. Daniels, Harlin Tye and T. J. Silvey.

THA members who attended the district federation at Stephens this week were Betty Hamm, Lola Tomlin, Marie Richardson, Betty White, Betty Cook, Belba Cornelius, the latter sponsored as a candidate for a district office. The Bodcaw duet, La Don Ward and Elizabeth Butler, sang several numbers at the meet.

An emergency meet of the Boggs-Dillard American Legion Post was held last Sunday to hear an offer to buy the post's building. The 17 present voted to maintain the Post Charter and named a committee to draw up proposals concerning the future of the post. Action on the sale of the building was delayed. All Legionnaires are urged to attend the next meeting.

Opera Star Tells of Meet With Malenkov

(Editor's Note: Soviet Premier Georgi M. Malenkov went to the theater last night with other top Russian leaders and chatted with the stars of the comedy Franchise of Paris. The conversations, described in an interview with a veteran actress, gave a rare glimpse at this group of some of the world's most powerful and least known men.)

By KENNETH BRODNEY MOSCOW (UP) — "Aren't you afraid to come behind the Iron Curtain and be with all these Communists?"

"The voice was that of Soviet Premier Georgi Malenkov. The scene was backstage at the Vakhtangov Theater, where the visiting Comedie Francaise has been playing to packed of houses.

After enjoying the show last night, Malenkov led a group of the Soviet Union's highest officials to a backstage room to meet the performers. Today, veteran Actress Beatrice Brett described the meeting.

"Malenkov was very cordial, very smiling and very simple like all of the government leaders present," Miss Brett, star of the show said.

Miss Brett said she had just taken her 20th curtain call following her performance in Moliere's "Le Bourgeois Gentilhomme" when she and Actor Louis Siegner were told: "That's all."

"We did not understand but were led off the stage along with six others to a little room backstage with a big table in the middle," Miss Brett said. "The table was loaded with food — caviar, smoked salmon, vodka, cognac, champagne. And they all were waiting for us."

"Malenkov was wearing a tunic which I recognized from photographs."

Miss Brett said the official who accompanied Malenkov were

Sunday & Monday at Saenger



Kathryn Grayson and Howard Keel smile for the camera in this scene from MGM's big Technicolor musical, "Kiss Me Kate."

Saturday & Sunday at Rialto



DAWN ADDAMS listens to the plans of PETER LAWFORD in this scene from MGM's "THE HOUR OF 13."

PRESCOTT NEWS

Monday—April 19

The Women of the Presbyterian Church will meet Monday at 10 a. m. for special Bible study. Mrs. Frank Gerig of Arkadelphia will be in charge. A covered dish luncheon will be served at noon.

Mrs. Virgil Daniel Jr. Hostess to Prescott H D Club The home of Mrs. Virgil Daniel

Foreign Minister Vyacheslav M. Molotov, Communist Party First Secretary Nikita S. Krushchev and Clementi Y. Voroshilov, chairman of the presidium of the Supreme Soviet, and three deputy premiers. "Molotov and Voroshilov made the most toasts but Malenkov made a lot too," Miss Brett said. "And so did many others."

"There were toasts to the talents of the actors, to Moliere, and to the understanding between our two countries," she said. "And Malenkov proposed a toast to my laugh."

Then Malenkov asked the group if they were not afraid to come behind the "Iron Curtain," and teased them about the presence of Communists.

Maurice Escande, one of the actors, spoke up. "I can say there is no more Iron Curtain because I arrived without a passport or visa," Escande replied, according to Miss Brett.

"Then Malenkov and everybody else laughed and we drank toasts to passports," Miss Brett said.

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they are found and how you know after you find them.
 Dr. A. R. Fogarty, pastor of the Presbyterian Church at Jonesboro spoke at last week's meeting. Members of the Ministerial Alliance and visiting religious week speakers were guests.

Mrs. Violet Coe, Mrs. J. L. Coe, Bill Dewayne motored to Little Rock Tuesday for the day.

Mr. Martin Guthrie left Thursday via plane for Corpus Christi to be at the bedside of his grandson, Bill Whitaker, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Whitaker, who is seriously ill in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Kinney spent Tuesday in Shreveport, La. Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Gordon were the Tuesday guests of their daughter, Mrs. Emmett Parkam and family in Camden.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Robertson of Topeka, Kansas, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Robertson and Mr. and Mrs. Guss McCaskill.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyce Anderson have as their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Alf Edwards of Blissfield, Mich. and Miss Caroline Edwards of Toledo, Ohio.

Joe Boone of El Dorado has been the guest of Miss Joan Gilbert and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gilbert.

Mrs. Ira Ward of Little Rock is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Carl King Jr. and family.

Mrs. J. S. Crane, who has been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. R. F. Yarbrough and family, has returned to her home in Ozan.

Wounds Fatal to Victim of Shooting

CAMDEN — Little Rock railroad executive Lloyd R. Squire, 52, died this morning of gunshot wounds suffered here Wednesday. Death came at Ouachita County Hospital, where he underwent an emergency operation Wednesday night.

Within a few hours of Squire's death, Deputy Prosecutor J. Bruce Street said he had filed a charge of first degree murder against M. L. (Bill) Turner, former operator of a nightclub here. Turner, held since the shooting, previously had been charged with assault to kill.

Squire was shot in the lung, liver and right ear Wednesday afternoon at a swanky apartment house where Turner's former wife lives.

Mrs. Turner called police and when they arrived the former nightclub operator surrendered peacefully.

Squire a resident of North Little Rock, was general agent for the Kansas City Southern and Arkansas-Louisiana railroads. He also operated a kennel in North Little Rock.

He had been general agent at Little Rock for almost 10 years. Squire is survived by a son, Glen R. Squire of Kansas City, Mo., and three sisters. His wife died in January, 1953.

Funeral services will be held in North Little Rock Monday and burial will be in Kansas City.

The Church of the Holy Sepulchre in 1010 A. D. by order of the Caliph Hakim.

The Negro Community

By Helen Turner
 Phone 7-8330
 Or bring items to Miss Turner at Hicks Funeral Home

The Legion meeting was called to order by the Post Commander C. G. Carmichael with prayer by the Rev. A. Morris. Reports were made on the trip to visit the Curtis Wade Post No. 888 in Texarkana, Tex., on Sunday, April 11, by R. J. Hicks, C. V. Coleman, R. Williams, Earl Bradley.

The trip was very enjoyable. A plan was suggested by Rev. A. Morris on raising money for the Post Colors. He suggested a banquet however plans have not been completed. Two new members were brought in by S. H. Buchanan. The meeting was adjourned. B. F. Davis, is reporter.

There will be an Easter Egg hunt at the city park Sunday afternoon, April 18. For the children.

Key Stone Lodge No. 43 will meet Tuesday night, April 20 at the regular meeting place. All members are asked to be present. Time 8 p. m.

Mrs. Pearl Frierson and Miss Clemmentine Frierson left Thursday night to visit Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie C. Frierson and son in Greenwood, Mississippi.

Mrs. Ethel M. Harris and Mrs. Bessie Easter of Oakland, Calif., Mrs. Mauds Linton of South Bend, Ind., and Mrs. Georgia Hodge of Los Angeles, Calif., have been called to the bedside of their father, Mance Easter who is ill at his home.

The Powers H. D. Club met

Police Enjoined in Weight Cases

LITTLE ROCK (AP)—The Arkansas State Police has been enjoined against arresting persons who violate the state law limiting weights of truck loads.

Philaski Chancellor Guy E. Williams issued the order yesterday in connection with a suit filed by officials of eight construction companies and Hazen rice farmers.

Williams has ruled that the 1953 act governing weight loads is unconstitutional because it discriminates in favor of one particular group. The law exempts oil field equipment trucks from certain overload penalties. That, said Williams, is "class legislation."

Defendants in the suit include State Police Director Lindsey Hatcher and Highway Director Herbert Eldridge.

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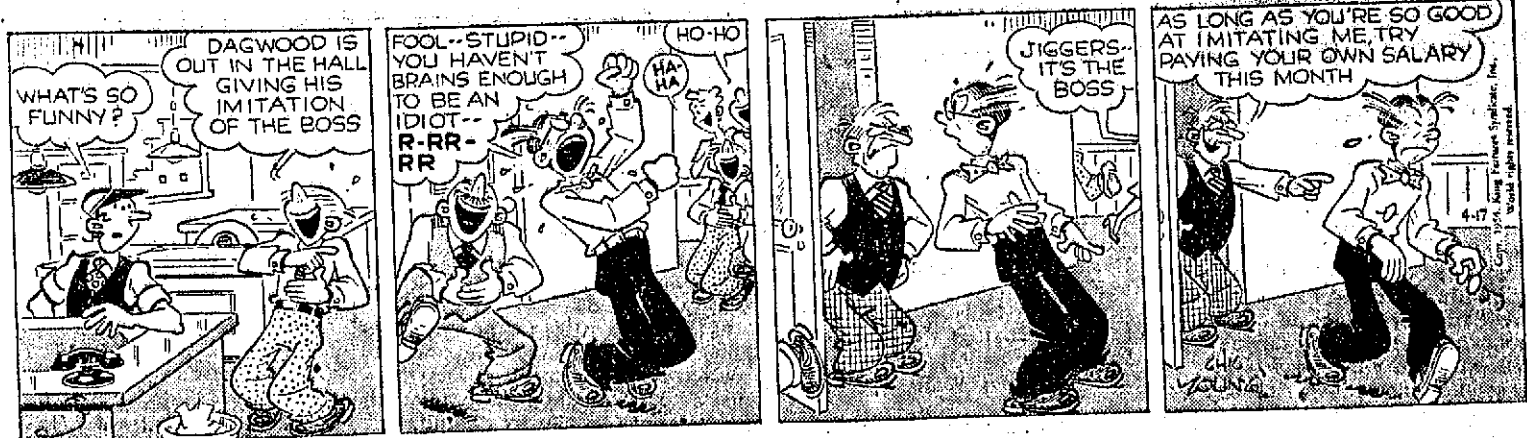
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Indian Invitation

Answer to Previous Puzzle

ACROSS

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19 Oriental porgy

20 Convulsive cry

22 An (Scot.)

23 Wave (comb. form)

25 Brother

27 Heavy blow

28 It has many — resources

31 Chemical solvent

32 The Khyber

35 Male sheep

36 In a line

40 Blackbird

41 Gibbon

43 Female sheep

44 Perused anew

48 Seasoned

50 Harsher

52 Requires

53 Brazilian seaport

54 Even (contr.)

55 Winter vehicles

56 Before

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1 Sea nymph

2 Silkworm

CARNIVAL

3 Song birds

4 Diminutive of Daniel

5 Selves

6 Tardy

7 Sacred (comb. form)

8 This nation is on the — Ocean

9 External (comb. form)

12 Enthusiastic

14 Unaspirated

15 Belgian river

17 Mellow

21 Cruel

24 Tierra del Fuego Indians

26 Odors

27 Olive genus

29 Symbol for actinium

30 Article

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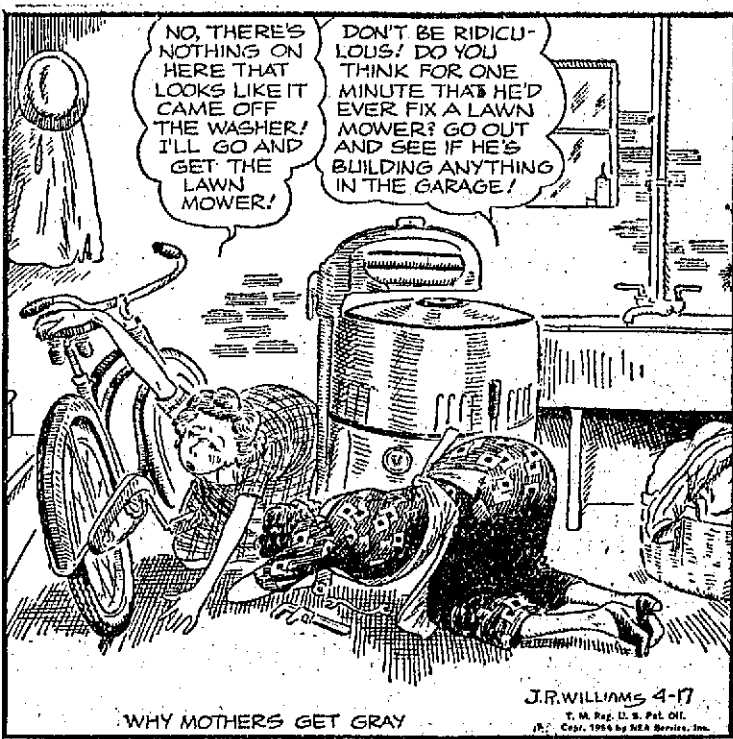
49 Sidelong glance

51 "Treasure Island" author (init.)

By Dick Turner

OUT OUR WAY

By J. R. Williams



OUR BOARDING HOUSE

With Major Hoopie



FUNNY BUSINESS

By Hershberger



HENRY

By Carl Anderson



"I'll bring the rest of the things, Elmo! You get over there and jockey for position!"

SIDE GLANCES

By Galbraith



